

## DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS



## Things Aren't Exactly Coming Father's Way

## CALUMET

BASEBALL, FOOTBALL, CRICKET, TRACK AND FIELD AND AQUATICS.

## NEWS

BOXING, WRESTLING, ROWING, AUTOMOBILE RACING AND TENNIS.

## SPORTS

## POLO DEFI MAY BE WITHDRAWN

## British Team Said to Be Far From Satisfactory This Year

London, May 7.—It is altogether probable that there will be no international polo at Meadowbrook this year.

As foreshadowed by the previous column from English polo experts, the London newspapers print scathing remarks of Lord Wimborne's team's exhibition on Saturday.

The Daily Telegraph expert declares: "The only good thing about Saturday's match was the condition of the grounds."

The British team is far below the standard of efficiency necessary for them to make even a forlorn fight for the international trophy. Rumors that there will be radical changes in the line-up were today augmented by official statements that it is possible Lord Wimborne may postpone his challenge until next year.

In any event, it is stated on good authority, that the matter will come before the Hurlingham committee soon and it is practically certain Wimborne will be urged to withdraw his challenge.

It is also understood, however, that Lord Wimborne, rather than disappoint the American defenders, will try to get a scratch team together to play a series of games at Meadowbrook, "for the sport."

It is positive that two of those announced as members of the challenging team are no longer connected with it. They have informed Wimborne in no uncertain manner that they must be excused from making the trip, and that their decisions are unalterable.

Lord Wimborne is bitterly disappointed over the discouraging turn of events after the enormous expense of sending the men and 70 points to Meadowbrook for 10 weeks' practice.

## HEARING IS CONTINUED.

Chicago, Ill., May 7.—Hearings on the motion to dissolve the injunction restraining George H. Johnson, pitcher, who jumped to the Kansas City Pebers from the Cincinnati National club, was continued Tuesday until Thursday, May 14. The injunction which was obtained by the Cincinnati club forbade Johnson from playing with any baseball organization.

## A Delicious Table Drink

Quite remarkable is the increase during the past few years in the use of high grade bottled beer as a table beverage.

The development of the brewer's skill no doubt accounts in a large measure for this. He has produced a light beer that is particularly adapted to household use.

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## BASEBALL

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS.

American League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	14	6	.700
New York	8	6	.571
Philadelphia	8	6	.571
St. Louis	10	8	.556
Washington	8	8	.500
Chicago	9	11	.450
Boston	5	9	.357
Cleveland	5	13	.278

National League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	14	2	.875
Philadelphia	8	4	.667
Brooklyn	7	5	.583
New York	6	6	.500
Cincinnati	8	9	.471
St. Louis	7	12	.368
Chicago	6	12	.333
Boston	3	9	.250

Federal League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore	11	4	.733
St. Louis	11	7	.611
Brooklyn	7	6	.538
Indianapolis	8	8	.500
Chicago	9	10	.471
Buffalo	6	8	.429
Kansas City	7	11	.389
Pittsburgh	4	11	.267

## TODAY'S GAMES.

American League.  
St. Louis at Cleveland.  
Detroit at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Washington.  
New York at Boston.

National League.  
Boston at New York.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.  
Cincinnati at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Pittsburgh.

Federal League.  
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.  
Baltimore at Indianapolis.  
Brooklyn at Chicago.  
Buffalo at Kansas City.

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.  
Chicago, Ill., May 7.—Cobb's base running and Crawford's brilliant catch of Alcock's fly when Chicago had the bases filled in the fourth helped Detroit defeat Chicago here yesterday. Cobb stole three bases and scored two of the visitors' runs.

R H E  
Detroit .....102010000—4 6 2  
Chicago .....101000000—2 9 5  
Batteries—Hall, Reynolds, Daus and Starnage; Scott, Cletche and Mayer. Solak, Two-base hits—Cobb, Detroit; Chase, Alcock, Chicago. Three-base hit—Crawford, Detroit.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 7.—St. Louis beat Cleveland here yesterday. The feature was a triple play executed by Cleveland in the first when it looked as if St. Louis would drive Blanding from the box.

R H E  
St. Louis .....200000320—7 11 1  
Cleveland .....010000000—1 5 1  
Batteries—W. James and Rumber. Agnew; Blanding, "Lefty" James and Carlsch. Two-base hits—Wares, St. Louis. Three-base hits—Pratt, C. Walker, St. Louis.

Washington, D. C., May 7.—New York won from Washington here yesterday mainly through the fine pitching of Caldwell, who allowed but three hits and only gave one base on balls. The game was called at the end of the seventh to allow the visitors to catch a train.

R H E  
New York .....1010020—4 9 3  
Washington .....0000000—0 3 2  
Batteries—Caldwell and Sweeney; Shaw and Henry. Two-base hits—Hartwell, Holden, New York; Millan, Washington.

## OWES FAME TO INJURED BACK

## Harvard Strong Man Gains Title In a Peculiar Manner

Cambridge, Mass., May 7.—A laughing good-natured giant from the Texas border has walked away with the title of Harvard's champion "strong man." Oran Gould Kirkpatrick of San Antonio, a freshman, has shattered all previous records under the Sargent strength tests, which were brought to their present high standard of efficiency in 1904. Kirkpatrick is 6 feet 4 inches tall and weighs close to the 200 mark. In his record-breaking march he topped over the standards set by Huntington R. Hardwick, Harvard's all-around athlete, by over 50 points. Of the 10 tests required under the Sargent system, Kirkpatrick broke Hardwick's record in six events, tied it in two others and fell below in the remaining events.

For years the Sargent system of estimating a man's physical manhood and endurance has found great national favor. Among those who have submitted themselves to the famous Harvard physical director's instruments have been Eugene Sandow, Yousef, the wrestler; James J. Jeffries, Jack Johnson and Annette Kellerman.

Kirkpatrick registered 1,349 points, which is the highest mark made since the present system was put into use 10 years ago.

Curiously enough, Kirkpatrick's present record is attributed to a strain he received while throwing the hammer at Exeter academy, where he prepared for Harvard.

Forced into unwilling idleness, Kirkpatrick turned to the gymnasium for solace, earnest and faithful, he was soon as efficient in gymnastics as he had been in football and track and last year upon graduation he was claimed by many to rival Eddie Hart in strength and physique.

At Harvard to date he has contented himself with staying in the background as far as athletics are concerned, but won the signal honor of being chosen as president of the 1917 class.

This spring he is a candidate for the freshman crew and may do a little running with the track squad.

A table is appended which compares the records of Kirkpatrick and Hardwick:

	Hardwick, Kirkpatrick.
Capacity of lungs	300—315
Strength of lungs	29—25
Push up	29—20
Pull up	15—20
Weight	79.5—89
Black	220—240
Lean	650—500
Right forearm	75—75
Left forearm	65—60
Chest and upper arm	277.2—445

hit—Speaker, Boston. Home run—Bush, Philadelphia.

National League.  
New York, N. Y., May 7.—Brooklyn took the series from New York yesterday by winning the deciding game. Nap Rucker, Brooklyn's star pitcher, pitched his first game of the season and he had the champions shut out until the ninth, when New York scored three runs after two men were out.

R H E  
Brooklyn .....000104000—5 10 7  
New York .....000000000—3 7 0  
Batteries—Rucker and Miller; Fromme, Demaree and Johnson. Two-base hit—E. an, Brooklyn.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 7.—A pass, a sacrifice, an error and a wild pitch by Cheney gave Pittsburgh the only run of yesterday's game with Chicago, making it the second string of seven consecutive victories for the locals this season. Adams pitched a remarkable game, holding the visitors to two hits.

R H E  
Chicago .....000000000—0 2 5  
Pittsburgh .....120100128—7 15 3  
Batteries—Cheney and Archer; Adams and Gibson. Two-base hit—Gibson, Pittsburgh.

## WALTER JOHNSON HAS GONE STALE.

Washington, D. C., May 7.—Walter Johnson admits that he has gone stale as a result of too much training during the early spring. It is because of his condition that he is unable to do himself justice on the slab.

Johnson, who has the reputation of being the speediest pitcher the game has ever produced, has failed to show much in this respect in his recent games, and those who have seen him in action have wondered at his failing against comparatively weak batsmen.

"I have known that I was not right for some time past, because I could not get the speed on the ball that I usually have," said Walter yesterday afternoon. "There is apparently nothing wrong with me. My arm feels as strong as ever, and I am well in every respect, apparently, but I can't get anything on the ball."

## \$60,000 ON MAROON FIELD.

Trustees Vote To Expend That Amount This Summer.

Chicago, May 7.—Trustees of the University of Chicago announced yesterday that improvements amounting to more than \$60,000 would be made on the Maroon field this spring. Alumni leaders are pushing their campaign to have the official name "Stagg field" adopted formally by the institution.

The university trustees asserted that movable steel stands would be erected on the east side of the field to take the place of the present wooden structure. A small section will be placed at once as an engineering experiment and the remainder will be erected in the near future unless the tests prove unsatisfactory. The entire cost will be \$45,000 and the stands will seat more than 7,000 persons.

The steel stands will complete the improvements started by the building of the \$200,000 concrete grandstand and wall last year.

and Steele when hits counted and Cincinnati won from St. Louis. In the first Moran doubled and scored with Bates on the latter's home run.

R H E  
Cincinnati .....200000001—3 9 6  
St. Louis .....000000000—0 5 9  
Batteries—Benton and Clarke; Steele, Sallee and Snyder. Two-base hits—Moran, Cincinnati; Huggins, St. Louis. Three-base hit—Nichoff, Cincinnati. Home run—Bates, Cincinnati.

Boston, Mass., May 7.—Philadelphia-Boston game postponed; rain.

## Federal League.

Kansas City, Mo., May 7.—Pittsburgh batted three local pitchers almost at will yesterday and defeated Kansas City. Lennox of Pittsburgh got two home runs, a triple, a double and a single in five times up.

R H E  
Pittsburgh .....033021001—10 15 6  
Kansas City .....100010002—4 12 2

Batteries—Walker, Adams and Berry; Harris, Stone, Hogan and Easterly.

St. Louis, Mo., May 7.—Manager Brown pitched eight innings for his St. Louis team yesterday, just long enough for Baltimore to score eight runs and win from the home team. In the seventh Zinn and Duncan hit for home runs, each with a man on base.

R H E  
Baltimore .....000102500—8 11 4  
St. Louis .....020031100—7 8 1  
Batteries—E. Smith, Quinn and Jacklinch; Brown, Crandall and St. Louis.

Chicago, Ill., May 7.—Zeider's home run with three on bases in the fourth was the deciding feature of a wild game, which Chicago won from Buffalo here yesterday. Other homers were credited to Hanford of Buffalo and Wickland of Chicago. Hendrix struck out eleven men.

R H E  
Buffalo .....001000000—4 7 2  
Chicago .....010020023—12 10 4  
Batteries—Moran, Anderson and Blair; Hendrix, Wilson and Block.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 7.—Brooklyn-Indianapolis game postponed; rain.

American Association.  
Milwaukee, 1; Louisville, 2.  
Kansas City, 3; Indianapolis, 13.  
Minneapolis-Columbus game postponed; rain.

## CADDIES HARVEST BALLS.

Break Pinehurst Dam to Get Those That Never Crossed Lake.

Pinehurst, N. C., May 7.—Greenkeeper Frank Maples regards the breaking of the dam which holds the pond on the twelfth hole of No. 1 golf course in place as a disaster. He'd like to know just how it happened. Not so, however, with the late season caddies, who have reaped a golden harvest, for that particular pond had proved to be literally paved with golf balls.

Domestic and imported, antique and modern, black and white, dimples and pimples, crescents and crosses, good, bad, and indifferent they lay in slimy piles and windrows before the astonished eyes of what at once became the muck rake brigade which gathered them by the dozen and the gross, the peck and the bushel.

It is conservatively estimated that between 200,000 and 250,000 balls have journeyed across that pond in the last two or three years. Arrive at your own conclusion as to the percentage which failed to make the trip and you'll get a pretty fair idea of what the harvest was.

Yes, indeed, it has been some big week for Pinehurst caddies!

## KRAMER BADLY HURT.

New York, May 7.—Billy Kramer, one of the country's best long distance and cross country runners and member of the 1912 Olympic team, is probably out of the running game for good, according to physicians who have examined an injury which he received while running the three-mile race at the Monument Athletic club Sunday. Kramer injured the tendon of his left foot and is scarcely able to walk.

## FREDDIE WELSH READY TO TAKE RITCHIE'S PLACE.

Chicago, May 7.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of Great Britain, together with his manager, Harry Pollock, was in Chicago yesterday on his way to New York after a series of bouts in California. While here the Englishman was besieged with offers to fight before Wisconsin clubs, but was unable to sign in view of a contract he has to meet Joe Mandot in New Orleans May 18.

Welsh spent nearly two hours trying to get the Milwaukee promoter on the wire, in view of closing a deal, whereby he would take on Charley White, instead of Willie Ritchie.

The Cream City matchmaker sent Ritchie his final offer yesterday as regards a match with White May 20, as agreed upon by the champion several weeks ago. Andrews offered the coast boy a guarantee of \$10,000, with a privilege of 45 per cent of the gross receipts, 5 per cent more than Ritchie received for boxing Walsgate.

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## HARVARD REFUSES CHANGE.

Crimson Turns Down Yale's Invitation for Race for Junior Eight.

New Haven, Conn., May 7.—Yale has been unable to induce Harvard to exchange the four-oared two-mile boat race for a race over the same distance between two eights composed of "Varsity substitutes." For months Yale has urged the change, but Harvard's refusal to accept it has been only just received.

The matter was broached when the two universities met for their conference to frame their annual regatta agreement and the section relating to the annual race between the fours was left to be decided between the four-oared and the eight-oared event. Yale at that time pointed out that the stewards of the Poughkeepsie regatta had decided to abandon the four-oared event, and that, at Yale, all the training of the oarsmen during the Spring was between two "Varsity" eights.

Yale's argument was that it was better to enter these eights, one as a senior, the other as a Junior organization, than to break the second eight into a four-oared crew just before the annual regatta. It has been believed here that Harvard would accept the invitation to make the change, and disappointment is felt among rowing men here that the Crimson has declined. Yale will press the invitation another year.



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